

HOME AND COMMUNITY-BASED HEALTH SERVICES

HRSA Description (10-22-2018)

Home and Community-Based Health Services are provided to an eligible client in an integrated setting appropriate to that client's needs, based on a written plan of care established by a medical care team under the direction of a licensed clinical provider. Services include:

- Appropriate mental health, developmental, and rehabilitation services
- Day treatment or other partial hospitalization services
- Durable medical equipment
- Home health aide services and personal care services in the home

HRSA Program Guidance

Inpatient hospitals, nursing homes, and other long-term care facilities are not considered an integrated setting for the purposes of providing home and community-based health services.

Baltimore EMA Guidance

Home and community-based health services provide opportunities for clients to receive services in their own home or community rather than an in-patient setting

Qualifications

Competencies, Knowledge, and Skills	Evaluation/Documentation
Services are provided by licensed medical and mental health professionals, as required by State and Local laws.	Demonstrated competencies, knowledge and skills must be available upon request (e.g. participation in training, formal supervisory review, direct observation, case review, etc.)